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Battle for Power!

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Hi! My name's Max,  
and I'm probably one of the  
biggest LEGO fans ever!  
I got the chance to see this  
month's LEGO Magazine before  
anybody else - and it's one of  
the best ever. Don't believe  
me? Just check  
this out:

- Meet one of the set designers who brought Indiana Jones™ to LEGO LIFE!
- An all-new EXO-FORCE adventure!
- An exciting new Star Wars™ contest - you could win an Xbox 360!
- New BIONICLE® action - Toa Navi vs. Brotherhood of Makuta!
- New BIONICLE and Racers alternate models!
- Enter the LEGO SpongeBob Building Challenge and compete against other fans all over the world!

## CHECKOUT WHAT'S NEW ONLINE AT LEGO.COM!

LEGO Club has loads of cool features on  
LEGO.com, just for you:

- LEGO Event Calendar - find out about LEGO fun in your area!
- News from the Community - check out what other LEGO fans are doing and submit your own stories!
- Building Tips and Ideas - get hints from LEGO Master Builders and fans like you!
- Family Building - tips on fun LEGO building projects you can do with your family!
- Plus Cool Creations, Comic Caption Contests, exclusive building instructions, and more.



You'll find all this and more at  
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# TEAM UP TO BATTLE FOR POWER!

**T**he legendary Toa Nuva return to Karda Nui, the core of the universe, for the ultimate battle! Teaming up with Matoran of Light, they use their Midak Skyblasters that shoot spheres of white light to fight the Forces of shadow!

But the Brotherhood of Makuta is waiting for them, using Tridax pods filled with shadow leeches to corrupt their enemies.

**THE FINAL BATTLE IS ABOUT TO BEGIN!**

## 8693 CHIROX AND 8949 KIROP

One of the Brotherhood's top scientists, Chirox is known for creating monstrous Rahi. His Kanohi Shelek, the Mask of Silence, temporarily robs enemies of the ability to speak or hear. Kirop's power to temporarily rob a foe of his sight makes them a lethal combination in a fight.

## 8691 ANTROZ AND 8947 RADIAK

The leader of the Makuta in Karda Nui, Antroz is an aggressive warrior. His Kanohi Jutlin, the Mask of Corruption, causes items to rot and break down. Radiak flies with him, using his special power to slow the actions of the Toa and make them easy targets.

Find out more at:  
[www.BIONICLE.com](http://www.BIONICLE.com)



**8692 VAMPRAN AND  
8948 GAVLA**

Vampran is a silent hunter, swooping down on his black wings and using his Kanohi Avsa, the Mask of Hunger, to feed on the hopes and dreams of his victims. Gavla's power to disrupt a foe's sense of balance makes her dangerous in aerial combat!



# BIONICLE Phantoka

**8685 KOPAKA NUVA AND 8945 SOLEK**

The Toa Nuva of Ice would rather fight alone, relying on his Mask of X-Ray Vision and Ice Gunnet. But Solek's power to create objects of solid light may provide the edge that wins a battle!

**8686 LEWA NUVA AND 8944 TANMA**

The Toa Nuva of Air relies on his high-tech jet pack to fly and his Mask of Levitation to help him do complex air maneuvers. Tanma acts as a living source of light energy for Lewa's Skyblaster.



**8687 POHATU NUVA AND 8946 PHOTOK**

The Toa Nuva of Stone uses massive propellers to fly. His Mask of Speed, combined with Photok's lightspeed power, makes him the fastest thing in the air!

## TEAM UP FOR MORE POWER!

Matoran sets attach to  
Toa and Makuta sets for  
double the power  
in battle!





IMAGINE

BATTLE FOR

POWER!

BIONICLE

**B** IONICLE 2008 explodes online, with the new "Battle for Power" game on BIONICLE.com!

- Play as either a Toa Nuva or a Brotherhood of Makuta member as the battle unfolds through multiple games!
- Start playing today on BIONICLE.com — check back for gaming and story updates!



TEAM UP AND  
BATTLE  
FOR  
POWER

Plus get the latest news, a closer look at the new sets, and building instructions for this awesome combination model!



## MAKUTA SPIRIAH

This renegade Makuta has been on the run from the Brotherhood since an experiment on the island of Zakez went horribly wrong. It remains to be seen which side he will take in the final battle between light and darkness. Build Makuta Spiriah using pieces from 8944 Tanma, 8688 Lawa Nuva, 8891 Antroz and 8947 Rediak.

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## BIONICLE® and Nickelodeon are Teaming Up!

Just like a Toa Nuva and a Matoran, BIONICLE and Nickelodeon are teaming up this month to double the action!

- See a new 4-minute BIONICLE mini-movie featuring the biggest BIONICLE battles in history — plus all-new footage of the Phantomak!
- Be one of the first to play a new BIONICLE Battle for Power game!
- Vote for who you think will win the Battle for Power!
- Exclusive BIONICLE downloads!

Check out all the excitement on Nickelodeon and [www.BIONICLE.com](http://www.BIONICLE.com) throughout the month of January!

Find out more at  
[www.BIONICLE.com](http://www.BIONICLE.com)





# INDIANA JONES

"If adventure came in plastic...  
It must be From LEGO."





# BEHIND THE BRICKS:

# LEGO® INDIANA JONES™!

**Y**ou've been demanding them for years, and they're finally here: LEGO sets from the *Indiana Jones* movies have arrived! We spoke with one of the designers of these action-packed models about just what went into translating Indy's adventures from the big screen to the LEGO brick.

## DESIGNER PROFILE

Name: Adam Grabowski  
Job: LEGO Designer  
Designed: 7623 Temple Escape

Adam came to The LEGO Company from the University of Wuppertal in Germany, where he studied design. Before working on LEGO *Indiana Jones*, he created design sketches for EXO-FORCE, LEGO *Star Wars*™ and more.

**Q** How is a LEGO *Indiana Jones* set designed?

**A** The process usually begins with collecting all of the movie material that we think possibly need. Then the whole team brainstormed together about what scenes can be done in LEGO bricks. We make sketches, test them with kids, and if we're happy with the results, we take the A-5 best ideas and turn them into the actual sets. It's a lot more than it really is. The process from sketch to product takes around three months of intensive thinking and building!

**Q** What research did you have to do before designing the sets?

**A** We were allowed to use the Lucasfilm archive, of course, but for *Indiana Jones*, we more or less built what we thought would be cool sets. We're all huge fans of the movies, so everybody had the DVDs, and we had some books too. Plus, today you can find almost everything on the internet, so I'd say research was the easy part.

**Q** How do you adapt a scene or vehicle from the movies to LEGO brick form?

**A** The first thing to decide is what scene is most interesting for LEGO fans. *Star Wars* is very vehicle-based, so it's quite easy to make something out of it, even if they haven't seen the movies, but *Indiana Jones* is more character-based. You want to make sure that the set has features that any kid could play with.



INDIANA JONES

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**Q** How did you decide what special features to include in the Indy sets?


**A** You try to build the functions so that you can reenact all the key scenes from the movie. I was lucky: the boulder scene includes all the traps that you see in the movie, including the pit. For 7822 Race for the Stolen Treasure, we added some treasure inside the Ark so that kids who haven't seen the movie will have a reason for Indy to chase the truck. Other than that, we tried to stay as true to the movie as we could.

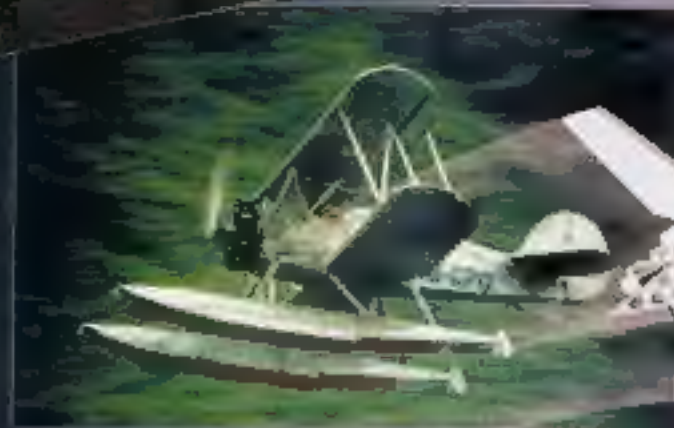


**Q** What's your favorite part of the Temple Escape model?

**A** I like the little dinosaurs on the entrance that are turned upside-down and look like faces. Other than that, it's probably the Golden Idol, which is a really cool new LEGO piece.



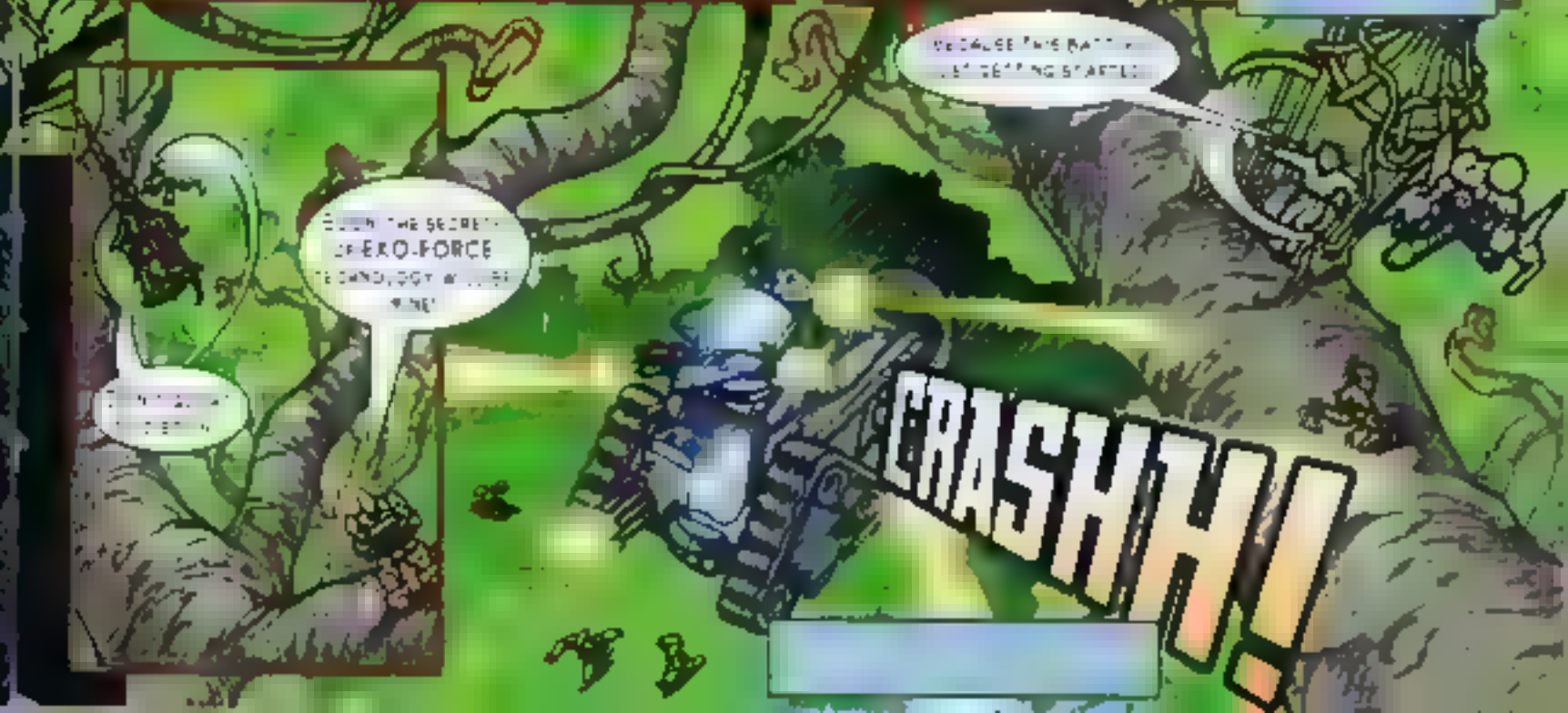
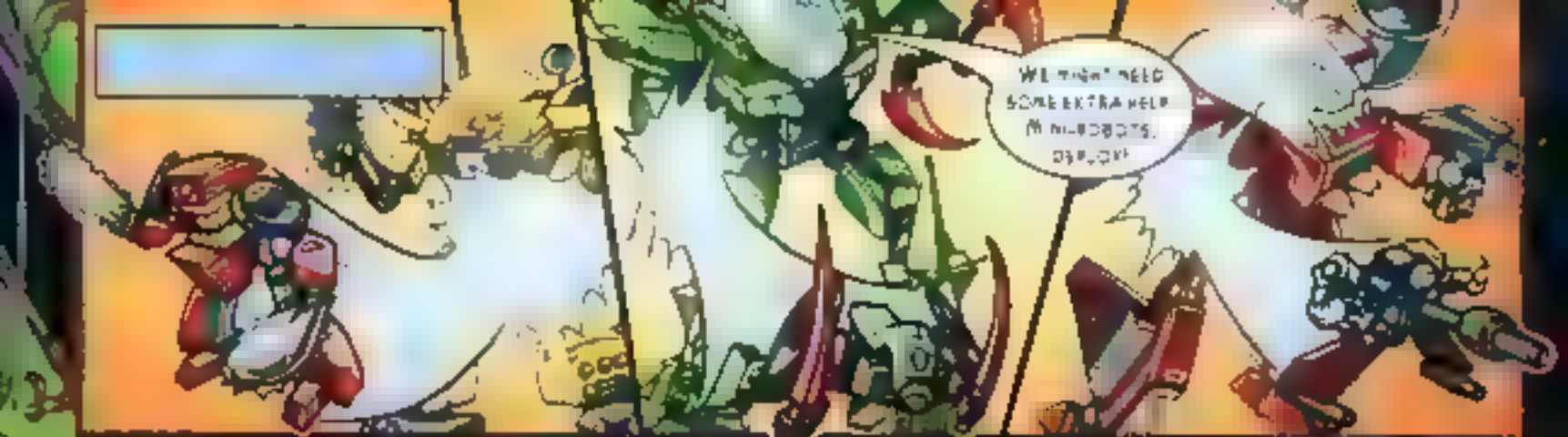
Thanks, Adam!  
And to you and the other LEGO Indiana Jones designers... great job! 













# NEW MISSION. NEW MACHINES!

■ ready for a revolution in battle machine design. Built for combat in the dense jungles of Sentai Mountain, these mobile war machines have bigger weapons, tougher armor, cutting-edge camo patterns, and a whole new EXO-FORCE technology: weapons and gear that detach and convert to mini-robot scouts and soldiers. ■

## B117 STORM LASER

These cutting robot sentries patrol the jungle skies. If they spot an EXO-FORCE battle machine, their spinning turbine blades can slash right through the treetops for a clear shot.



**MINI-ROBOT  
SPECIAL FUNCTION:**  
Surveillance and reconnaissance scouting.

## B113 ASSAULT TIGER

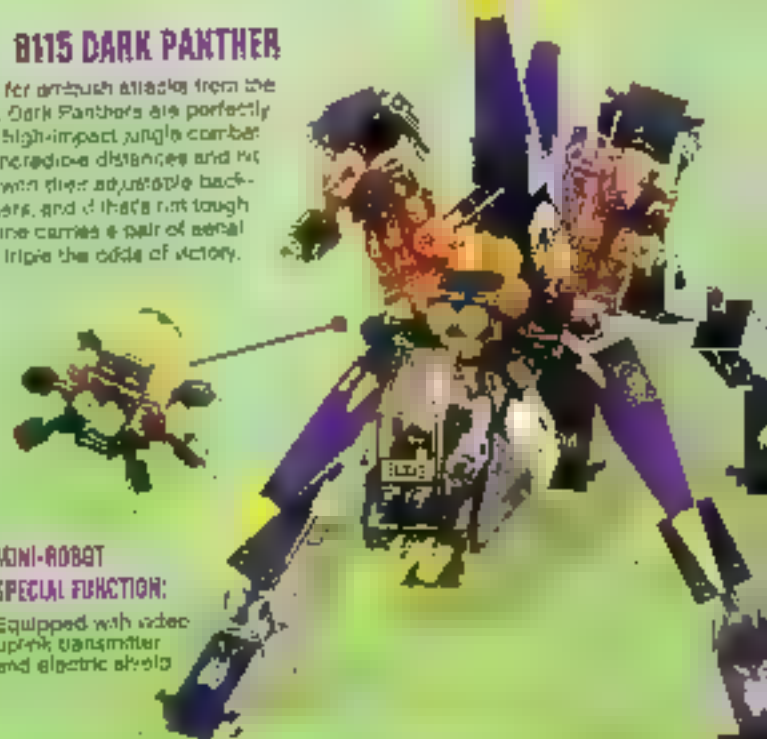
Takeshi's heavy-duty new battle machine is massively armed and armored for intense combat action. Its tiger-stripe camouflage helps it blend in with the jungle trees - until the roar of its mega-buzzsaw blade reveals its presence to any unlucky robots around.



**MINI-ROBOT  
SPECIAL FUNCTION:**  
Two chainsaws rip apart enemy armor.

## B115 DARK PANTHER

Programmed for ambush attacks from the forest shadows, Dark Panthers are perfectly designed for high-impact jungle combat. They can leap incredible distances and hit moving targets with their adjustable back-mounted blasters, and if that's not tough enough, each one carries a pair of aerial drone flyers to triple the odds of victory.



**MINI-ROBOT  
SPECIAL FUNCTION:**

Equipped with video uplink transmitter and electric shield.

## B114 CHAMELEON HUNTER

Hikaru rules the jungle canopy in his multi-bladed battle machine. Equipped with the latest stealth technology and pseudo-camo armor plating, it stinks fear with its flame-blaster cannon and capture claw, then it disappears into the trees without a trace.

**MINI-ROBOT  
SPECIAL FUNCTION:**  
Heat blades sabotage key enemy systems.



**EXO-FORCE**

The Super Sentai franchise is a series of Japanese tokusatsu television series. The first series, Super Sentai Gosei Sentai Dairanger, was first broadcast in 1975. The series are produced by Toei Company and aired on the network of Toei Company.



The new MX-41 Switch Fighter is on the hunt for Martian energy crystals. But the aliens are hunting it, too. Good thing the Switch Fighter can quickly convert from land rovers to air attack mode to battle on multiple terrains!

## WORD SEARCH PUZZLE

Can you find all of the words listed below in the Marlon Jumble? Hint: They can be found horizontally, vertically, backwards, or diagonally.

# IMAGINE SWITCH SEARCH!




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ALIENS  
CRYSTAL  
FIGHTER  
MINING  
DRILL
- MISSION  
ENERGY  
SWITCH  
MORDE  
UNIT  
RED PLANET






# NEW COPS ON THE BLOCK!



LOOKS LIKE  
TROUBLE DOWN BELOW.  
I'M ON MY WAY!

7741



FROM THE CONTROL  
ROOM IN THE POLICE MOBILE  
COMMAND CENTER, I CAN  
HELP KEEP THE CITY  
SAFE!

I JUST GOT A MESSAGE  
FROM POLICE HEADQUARTERS.  
THERE'S BEEN A PRISON  
BREAK-OUT!

CALLING  
HEADQUARTERS! I  
HAVE THE ROBBER IN  
HANDCUFFS!





HE DIDN'T  
USE THE KEY TO  
OPEN THE LOCK.  
HOW'D HE GET  
AWAY?

ALL OFFICERS,  
MAN THE SEARCHLIGHTS  
AND WATCH OUT FOR  
ESCAPED PRISONERS!

Wow!

WE'VE GOT  
THE SCENT!

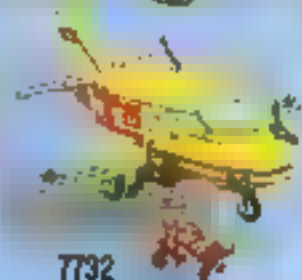


NO CROOK'S  
ESCAPING WHILE I'M  
ON PATROL!

LEGO CITY

And look for these  
Fun new LEGO City  
sets, available

only at  
**TOYS R US**





# LEGO® CITY POLICE POWER BUILDING CHALLENGE!

LEAD KID, and the brave officers are ready to make streets safe again - but they were told

Build a super police vehicle using pieces from your LEGO collection and help the LEGO City Police save the day! Five lucky winners will win a LEGO set or more of their choice worth up to \$400.00.

**HOW TO ENTER:**

- Build a LEGO City super police vehicle using pieces from your LEGO collection.
- Take a color photo of your model and color photos and glossy photo prints will be accepted. — no Polaroids, please!
- Write a short essay — no more than 200 words — telling us about your vehicle.
- Send your photo and essay, along with your name, age, mailing address and daytime telephone number to:

THIRD CITY POLICE PROMOTION  
WRITING CHALLENGE  
P.O. Box 3625  
Savannah, GA 31403-3625

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all such fees must be received by March 1st, 2007







LEGO®  
FAMILY

FUN!

Did you know that LEGO building isn't something you can only do by yourself – it's something you can do with your whole family!

Ethan (8), Natalia (5), Kevin (Dad) and Jodi (Mom) were one of the winning families in our Family Building Challenge. What would you build with your family?

All around the country, parents and kids are creating cool models together, just like the one you see on this page. Sound like fun? Here are some things you can do to have LEGO building fun with your own family:

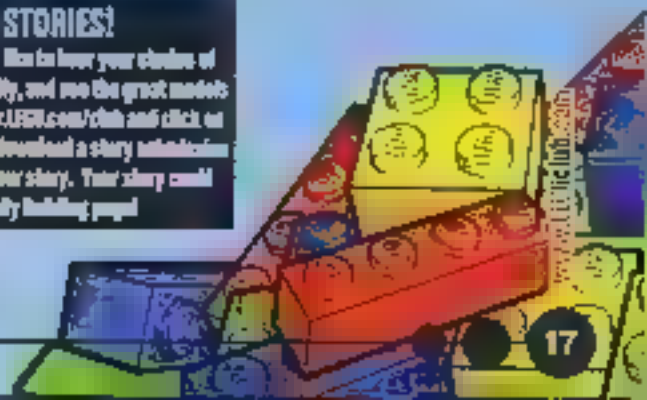
- Ask your parents about having a "LEGO Family Building Night" at your house. Everyone can build their own model, or you can all work on one big one together!
- You and your parents can check out the excitement at the LEGO Creation Nation website at [www.LEGOcreationnation.com](http://www.LEGOcreationnation.com). Find out about creative events in your area or apply for the first \$5000 LEGO Creativity Award!
- Read your LEGO Magazine together! Ever shared the comics, articles, and activities with your parents, brothers or sisters? Here's your chance! Who knows, they might like it just as much as you do!
- Ask your parents or teachers about starting a LEGO Club in your community or at your school. You and your friends can get together and see who can build the most awesome models!

- Have your own LEGO building contest! Pick something – your house, your pet, your car, anything – and everyone build their own model of it. Then choose the best model – or upload pictures of all the models to Cool Creations on [www.LEGO.com/club](http://www.LEGO.com/club) and let the world see them!

These are just a few fun ideas for how you can have a LEGO building experience with your family. Want to know more? Check out [www.LEGO.com/club](http://www.LEGO.com/club), click on "Building Tips and Ideas," then click on "Family Building!" ■

#### SEND US YOUR STORIES!

LEGO Club Online would like to hear your stories of building with your family, and see the great models you created! Go to [www.LEGO.com/club](http://www.LEGO.com/club) and click on "News and Editor" to download a story submission form to send us with your story. Your story could be featured on the Family Building page!







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Remember to include your name, address, and the name of your model. No Polaroids Please! Pictures will not be returned, so remember to take an extra photo for yourself.

Check out more completely creative LEGO models

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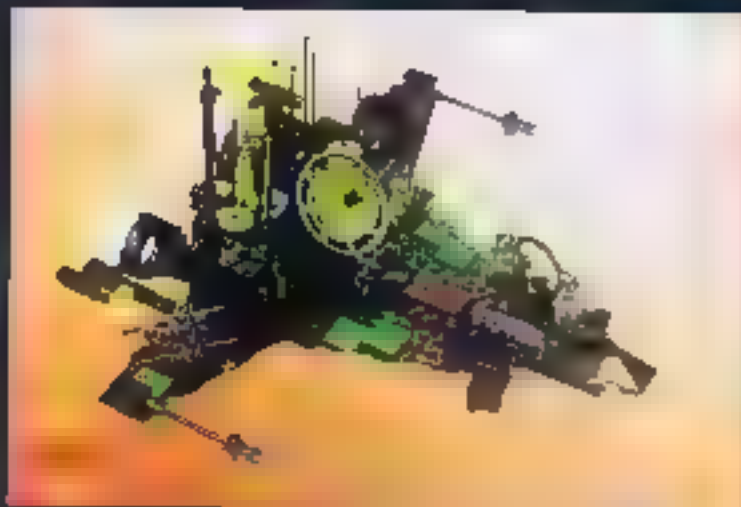
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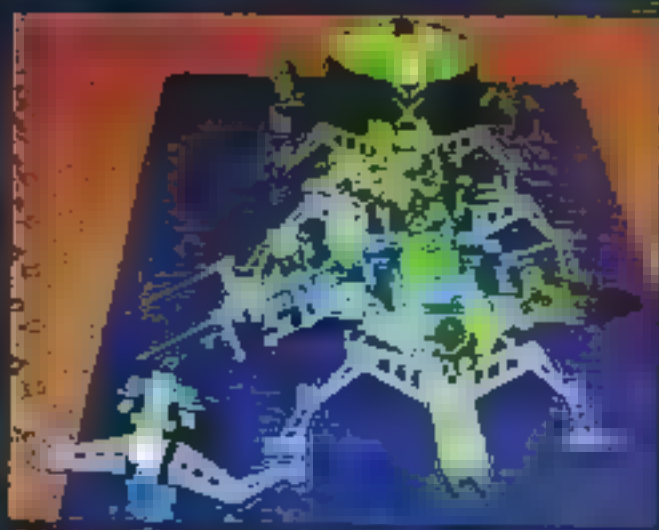


# LEGO MARS MISSION ALIEN BUILDING CHALLENGE

# WINNERS!



**Communications Dreadnought** **Mo'haned Srinbecki, age 8**



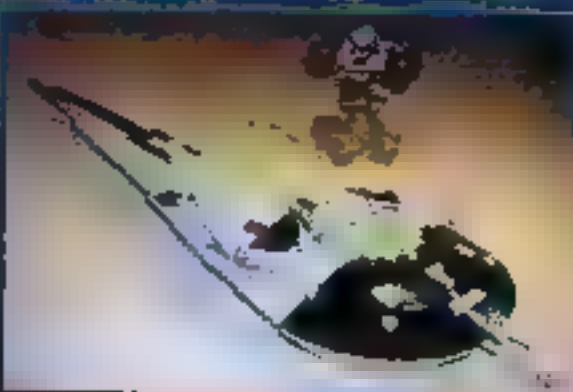
**Mobile Alien Base** **Albert Fink, age 12**



**Advanced Alien Long Distance Ship** **Jacob Higgins, age 15**



**Mobile Alien Base** **Alexander Heston, age 15**



**P-32f Quasar Interplanetary Interceptor**  
**Eric Schulten, age 14**

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## MARS MISSION BUILDING CHALLENGE

# WINNERS!

Leslie Richardson  
Augustin Giandonini  
Stamati Papastamnylou  
William Flaherty

Jordan Richardson  
Roman ViMovie  
Christian Flaherty  
Matthew Flaherty

## STAR WARS™ GOLDEN C-3PO CONTEST

# WINNERS!

Andrew Hoffmann  
Christopher Giancola  
Elizabeth Jacoran  
Jason Masey  
Chris Melchin





# THE GREAT LEGO® SPONGEBOB BUILDING CONTEST!

**W**e're looking for LEGO® SpongeBob Fans who like to build! Use your LEGO brick collection to create something from Bikini Bottom - your favorite character, a famous location, a scene from an episode, or anything else you can imagine. When you're done, take a picture and then go to [www.LEGOspongeBob.com](http://www.LEGOspongeBob.com) to find out how you can upload it and enter the contest!

Our Grand Prize winner will win a 15" high LEGO statue of SpongeBob SquarePants, just like the one shown on this page!

## TO ENTER:

- 1 Build a SpongeBob character, scene or location using your LEGO collection
- 2 Take a picture of your creation and post it on [www.LEGOspongeBob.com](http://www.LEGOspongeBob.com) to find out how you can upload it to the contest

All entries must be received by midnight 27th March 2004





IMAGINE

LEGO® SPONGEBOB IN:

# RACE TO THE ROCKET!

START

Wrong  
this  
way!  
AHUH!

Oops,  
dead  
end!

Hurry!  
You're  
late!

FINISH

**S**pongeBob and Patrick are running late for Sandy's rocket launch! Can you help them catch the Bikini Bottom Express and find the correct path to the rocket before it blasts off without them? Plus, see how many mean jellyfish you can find on this page! Some are hidden in sneaky places!

Action and adventure await at  
<http://LEGOspongebob.com>





# BUILD THE TURBO TRUCK!

**T**he Turbo Truck travels the nation, jolting from race track to race track and always ending up a winner! This awesome new model features great glow-in-the-dark pieces for night racing!

**NEW!**



"This awesome new model features great glow-in-the-dark pieces..."



You can build the Turbo Truck using pieces from 8148 EZ-Roadster, 8149 Midnight Streak, 8150 ZX Turbo, and 8151 Adrift Sport.

# BUILD THE TURBO TRUCK!



**LEGO** *RACERS*

For more Racers alternate models and building steps, check out [www.LEGO.com/racers](http://www.LEGO.com/racers).



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36-page magazine arrives!



July - August

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36-page magazine arrives!



Sep - Oct

New EXCLUSIVE LEGO set arrives!  
36-page magazine arrives!



Nov - Dec

New EXCLUSIVE LEGO set arrives!  
36-page magazine arrives!



Jan - Feb

New EXCLUSIVE LEGO set arrives!  
36-page magazine arrives!







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